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REF: STATE 215049

1. AFTER THREE MONTH TRIAL PERIOD EMBASSY HAS CONCLUDED
THAT COMMERCIAL SERVICES OFFERED BY DUN & BRADSTREET
ARE MORE SUITED TO PREPARATION OF WTDRS THAN COMPETITOR'S PRODUCT.
ACCORDINGLY WITH DEPARTMENT'S CONCURRENCE , A NEW CONTRACT
FOR REMAINDER OF FISCAL YEAR WILL SOON BE NEGOTIATED.

2. BASED ON RATE OF REQUESTS IN RECENT MONTHS, EMBASSY
ANTICIPATES THAT FUNDS ALLOCATED FOR WTDR CONTRACT
WORK WILL EXCEED NEEDS FOR FY75. IT IS ESTIMATED THAT
A CONTRACT FOR 250 REPORTS IN ADDITION TO THE APPROXIMATELY
100 REMAINING FROM TRIAL PERIOD CONTRACTS SHOULD
BE SUFFICIENT. TOTAL EXPENSE WOULD BE APPROXIMATELY
BS 32,000 OR BS. 13,700 LESS THAN BS 45,700 ALLOCATED
FOR FY75. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT THIS REVISION IS
ATTRIBUTABLE TO FACT THAT CONTRACTS WILL HAVE BEEN LET
FOR ONLY THREE OF THE FOUR QUARTERS OF THE YEAR WHEREAS THE
FIGURE PROJECTED IN CCP INCLUDED FULL YEAR.
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